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August 20, 2002
TN REGULATORY AUTHORITY
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Via Hand Delivery
Honorable Sara Kyle
Chairman
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville,

Re: Notice of Name Change and Replacement Local and Access Tariffs for Talk America, Inc. formerly known as Talk.com Holding Corp. d/b/a The Phone Company
Docket No. 01-00410

Dear Chairman Kyle:

The attached application, which was filed last year, is a routine change-of-name petition which requests that the Authority recognize that Talk.com is now Talk America.

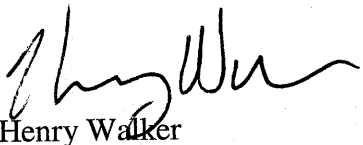
Pursuant to a TRA Order issued October 12, 2002, this application was held in abeyance pending a resolution of Docket 01-00216, a show cause proceeding against the company.

Now that the show cause matter has been settled and the settlement approved by the Authority, the applicant asks that this matter be re-activated and placed on the Authority's next conference agenda for consideration.

Very truly yours,

BOULT, CUMMINGS, CONNERS & BERRY, PLC

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Re: Notice of Name Change and Replacement Local and Access Tariffs for Talk America Inc. formerly Known as Talk.com Holding Corp. d/b/a also d/b/a The Phone Company
Company ID #: 00112298 / Original Case Number 99-00610

Dear Mr. Waddell:

Enclosed for filing are the original and thirteen (13) copies of the Local and Access replacement tariffs filed on behalf of Talk America Inc. formerly known as Talk.com Holding Corp. d/b/a The Phone Company. This filing incorporates the new company name. The Company respectfully requests these replacement tariffs to become effective on June 7, 2001

On April 9, 2001, Talk.com Holding Corp. amended its Articles of Incorporation to change its name to Talk America Inc. ("Company"). This name change reflects the Company's nationwide reach, and will allow the Company to have all of its entities to operate under one brand name. Consequently, all of the d/b/a's of Talk.com Holding Corp. should be changed to reflect the Company's new name, Talk America Inc. The Company is currently authorized to provide facilities-based local telecommunications services in the State of Tennessee in original Case Number 99-00610 approved on September 14, 1999.

This amendment changed only the name of the corporation and did not alter any assets or holdings, the Company's corporate structure, nor its personnel, directors and officers. Additionally, the Company has not altered its service offerings or prices, so its customers should not be adversely affected by this name change.

Questions regarding this filing may be directed to my attention at (407) 740-8575.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by date-stamping the extra copy of this cover letter and returning it in the self-addressed, stamped envelope enclosed for this purpose.